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PENSACOLA, FEB. 7, 1900.

The recent elections in Porto Rico were accompanied by events possessing a distinct Kentucky flavor. A bloody collision between "Federalists" and "Republicans" resulted in the death of one man and the serious wounding of six others.

The Laurel Hill Gazette makes the following thoughtful comment upon the controversy now pending concerning legislation affecting our new insular possessions:

Among all the different ideas as to whether or not the constitution extends itself automatically to the new islands, no one has come forward with any real defense to the proposition that when congress begins to legislate for the islands, that fact extends the constitution over them. If this proposition can be successfully contravened in the light of the constitution, we should like to have some one step forward and do it.

The recent consummation of a treaty between the state department and the British ambassador, Lord Pauncefoot, as the result of conferences and negotiations which have been pending for some months, whereby the terms of the famous Clayton-Bulwer treaty are so modified as to remove all obstacles that may have been presented thereby to the construction of a Nicaragua canal, will doubtless be followed by the prompt enactment of a statute providing for the early commencement of the work. Modifications of the bill now pending in congress adapting it to the terms of the new treaty may be expected, but little general opposition to the measure is anticipated.

Morgan vs. Johnston

Monday's Mobile Herald gives the following resume of the senatorial contest in Alabama to date; no other primaries will be held until April 11, when 55 counties will announce their choice:

Twelve counties have now acted on the federal senatorship, six of which have been carried by Senator Morgan, three by Governor Johnston, one by General Gates and two are yet to instruct. Instructed nominees for the legislature are from the following counties:

For Senator Morgan—Limestone, 1; Colbert, 1; Clarke, 2; Crenshaw, 1; Marengo, 2; Winston, 1. Total, 8.

For Governor Johnston—Marshall, 1; Jackson, 2; Russell, 2; Toombs, 3.

For General Gates—Coffee, 1.

To be instructed—Morgan, 2; Macon, 1. Total, 3.

In addition to the above, state senators have been instructed as follows:

For Senator Morgan—Nineteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-fifth districts, 3. For Governor Johnston—Fifth district. These, added to the representatives, give totals as follows: For Senator Morgan, 11; for Governor Johnston, 6; General Gates, 1.

Lamar Criticized

The Sunday Times-Union and Citizen contained the following hard bit at the attorney-general of the state, whose duty it is to read proof on the supreme court reports:

When will the Fortieth Florida Reports be given to the people of the state and the legal profession? They are needed in the courts daily, cases are being decided now which may require revision for the lack of them, and there is no adequate excuse for longer "procrastinating." Any journalist knows that procrastinating that lasts for a year is a delusion and a sham, and a word from the newspapers can save the cause of justice by demanding that the needed volume be given to the public in the service of justice and obedience to the intent of the letter of the law. From May to May is an unparliamentary period for procrastinating; how much longer must we wait?

Attorney-General Lamar, recognizing the effect upon his candidacy for re-election of the foregoing criticism, promptly sent out the following to the state press, requesting its publication:

Before the volume of the Florida Reports can be published in bound form, the attorney-general is required to make an index for the same. The publisher in Jacksonville sent to the attorney-general, ten days ago, two unbound volumes of the Florida Reports from which to compile the index. This index the attorney-general has completed and it will be sent to the publisher in Jacksonville to-morrow. The volume of reports can then soon be issued by the publisher.

The explanation fails to explain that the entire work of preparing such an index, as it is now done, could easily be accomplished within a few hours, and that by working on the proof sheets as they come from

the printer from time to time the index should be ready almost simultaneously with the completion of type setting on the last page of the text.

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CANDIDATE BEGGS.

His Candidacy Announced Quasi Officially.

The only signed announcement of candidacy for the office of governor that has appeared in the state press was that of Candidate Mays, which THE NEWS promptly published. Several different interviews with Candidate Jennings have appeared in print, but as Mr. Jennings has not verified or adopted any one of them, they were not regarded as "official."

In the latest issue of the Orlando Sentinel-Reporter, which may be regarded as the accredited mouthpiece of Candidate Beggs, appears a studied editorial urging his claims, from which the following paragraphs are taken:

Jas. D. Beggs is distinctively Orange county's candidate, and Orange asks now some memory of the support she has always given ungrudgingly to the favorite sons of other sections. In all the past Orange county has been true to the democracy and in every trial has stood steadfast and unflinching. In the dark hours of '76, amidst universal gloom and doubt, when the fate and future of the state hung in the balance, all eyes turned to Orange; nor did she disappoint expectancy. The noble majority she rolled up turned the tide and won a victory she has ever since been foremost in maintaining. She has knocked at the doors of conventions offering candidates she has thought worthy of acceptance, but when others have been preferred, whether from West, Middle, East or South Florida, she has accepted them as her own. In all the past she has never refused to any section her assistance in advancing the interests of its worthy claimants for democratic honors. However republicans, populists or independents may have gained fold-hold elsewhere, Orange county has stood rock-ribbed in democratic faith. There might be doubt as to this county or that, but in every change, true as the stars to pole, unchanging and incorruptible in purity of ally, Orange county has never failed in hearty and cordial response to every democratic demand.

Nor is knowledge of Jas. D. Beggs and admiration for him confined to Orange county. He has been conspicuous in the state councils of the party for years. Since his voice has been heard in every fight, as state's attorney in the tenth circuit for four successive terms, he is recognized as one of the ablest in Florida. He will go into convention with the seventh circuit behind him and with strong support from all sections. He is a democrat without reproach and of proven ability, his Orange county's orange appeals to her sister counties, and when the roll of the next convention is called we believe Orange will be honored.

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Merchants of Neighboring Towns to be Invited.

The Mystic Crew of the Clerks Union is keeping absolutely secret its plans for Pensacola's Mardi Gras carnival and the pageant will come as a pleasing surprise to all the uninitiated.

They will give a grand Mardi Gras ball, to which the merchants of neighboring towns will be invited. The costumes will be elaborate, and there will be many new and unique features.

The general supposition is that the King of the Carnival will arrive here on the morning of Feb. 27 by water and will be met by a committee of the mystics and entertained throughout the day, personally reviewing the day and night parades.

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LABOR NOTICE.

PENSACOLA, Feb. 5, 1900. All members of the old Lumber Baymen No. 1337 are requested to meet in joint meeting on Tarragona street, Wednesday evening at 7:30, Feb. 7, 1900, by request of the following named members:

John Isom, Wm. Robinson, Simon Chen-nat, Lucius Dorsey, Thomas Butler, Moss Williams, Nathan Pidgeon, Robt. Baker, Dempsey Gamlin, Tony James, Billy Williams, Lucius Williams, J. C. Deans, Buck Lee, C. Hogans, Jesse Campbell, Henry Sheffield, Will Jackson, Armstead Johnson, Fred Roberts, Geo. Johnson, Berry Ledbetter, Mennie Butler, Will Nelson, James Robinson, Shad Jones.

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SEMM-SMITH.

A Happy Marriage at St. Katherine's This Morning.

Miss Georgia Frierson Smith and Mr. John Oliver Semmes were wedded at St. Katherine's church at 11 o'clock this morning and departed on the noon train on their honeymoon tour.

Judge O. J. Semmes, R. O. Semmes and Edward Gaines of Mobile were among those from other cities in attendance.

Mr. Semmes is superintendent of the electric car line and, as a token of their esteem, the motormen and conductors presented him last evening with a handsome clock.

Miss Smith is a granddaughter of the late Judge R. L. Campbell, and, owing to the recent death of Mrs. Campbell, the wedding was not the brilliant society event it would otherwise have been.

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Y M B L. A Large, Attended Meeting Held Last Night.

The Young Men's Business League held its regular semi-monthly meeting last night, attended by a larger number of members than had been present for several months. President Welles and Secretary Daniell were in their respective places, and after the reading and approval of the minutes of the last meeting the secretary presented the letter from Captain C. A. F. Flagler of the engineer corps which has heretofore appeared in these columns, requesting an expression of the views of the league concerning the most effective method of expending the balance available of the appropriation heretofore made for the improvement of the harbor, which balance was understood to be about \$105,000.

After some informal debate on the subject, during which a very lucid and satisfactory explanation of the present conditions existing in the harbor and on the bar was made by Commodore Bazzell of the Bar Pilots' association, and the expenditure of the balance in deepening the approaches to the wharves inside the harbor was urged by Mr. J. M. Roberts, Mr. S. A. Costlich and others, while the widening of the channel across Causeway Shoal was warmly advocated by Mr. Keller, Mr. Ingram, Capt. Kryger and others, Mr. J. J. Sullivan moved that it be the sense of the meeting, and of the league, that the unexpended balance should be used in widening the new channel. Further debate ensued upon the motion, during which Mr. Watson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announced that that body had already acted upon the matter by urging the expenditure of the balance of the fund upon the channel, and Secretary Daniell suggested that it might be better to leave the whole matter to the discretion of Capt. Flagler. The motion was put and carried, and the secretary instructed to communicate the result to Capt. Flagler.

The secretary mentioned a private letter that had been received in the city from Washington relative to an additional appropriation to complete the road from the city to the national cemetery, and on motion of Mr. Watson the secretary was instructed to address the Florida representatives in congress urging the granting of such appropriation.

An inquiry by Mr. Keller as to the present status of the Selma excursion matter was answered by Mr. Sullivan to the effect that a visit from Mr. Shepard of the L. & N. road was expected at an early date, when the committee would confer with him and arrive at a conclusion.

Mr. Keller also inquired concerning the promised long distance telephone service, and it was stated by Mr. Sullivan, counsel for the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., that the company was engaged in installing the service at New Orleans and would soon reach Pensacola.

Mr. Keller also brought up the matter of furnishing the city authorities with ballast from the quarantine station, and referred to the deplorable condition of some of the streets. Mr. Bazzell explained that no use could be made of the ballast without a rock crusher, which the city was unable to buy for want of funds. After informal debate, it was moved by Mr. Daniell that a committee be appointed on the subject to confer with the council and report at a later meeting. The motion was carried, and Messrs. J. R. Keller, W. B. Wright and W. B. Ferris were appointed as such committee.

The president announced that at the next regular meeting, to be held February 20, the annual election of officers, heretofore deferred, would be held, and the meeting adjourned.

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